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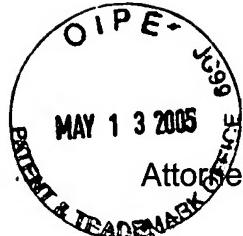
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POWER OF ATTORNEY

As the assignee of record of the entire interest of the above identified application, Tokusen U.S.A., Inc. hereby revokes all powers of attorney heretofore given in this application and appoints the practitioners associated with Customer Number 44692 as my/our attorneys or agents to prosecute the application identified above, and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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Filed with this power is a Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b).

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)—
ESTABLISHING RIGHT OF ASSIGNEE TO TAKE ACTION

1. The assignee of the entire right, title and interest hereby seeks to take action in the PTO in this matter.
2. The assignee, Tokusen U.S.A., Inc., is an Arkansas corporation having a principal place of business at 1500 Amity Road, Conway, Arkansas 72032.
3. The person authorized to act on behalf of the assignee is:
Masakatsu Ichinomiya
Title: Vice President, Administration
4. The ownership by the assignee is established as follows: an assignment from the inventors to the corporation identified above, which was recorded in the USPTO on April 7, 2003 at Reel/Frame 013966/0148.

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